

AMENDMENT #1

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: SR 9

BY SENATOR WIELECHOWSKI

1 Page 1, following line 6:

2 Insert new material to read:

3 "WHEREAS section 28 of the Alaska Statehood Act provides, "All net profits from
4 operation of Government mines, and all bonuses, royalties, and rentals under leases as herein
5 provided and all other payments received under this Act shall be distributed as follows as
6 soon as practicable after December 31 and June 30 of each year: (1) 90 per centum thereof
7 shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury to the State of Alaska for disposition by the
8 legislature thereof; and (2) 10 per centum shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
9 States to the credit of miscellaneous receipts."; and"

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11 Page 2, line 17, following "remedies;":

12 Insert "and"

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14 Page 2, following line 17:

15 Insert new material to read:

16 "WHEREAS the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act signed into law by President Donald
17 Trump on December 22, 2018, allows for oil exploration and development in the Arctic
18 National Wildlife Refuge; and

19 WHEREAS the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act provides for a 50 percent share to Alaska with
20 the federal government for bonuses, royalties, and rentals from mineral leases on federal land
21 in the state, in contravention of the percentage shares required under the Alaska Statehood
22 Act;"

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1 Page 2, following line 26:

2 Insert new material to read:

3 **"FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska Senate demands adherence to the Alaska
4 Statehood Act, which provides that the state receive a 90 percent share of all bonuses,
5 royalties, and rentals under leases received by the federal government for exploration and
6 development in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; and be it"